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For the concise explanation of relevance of non-English document JP 2004-5787 A, The Examiner is respectfully referred to the English abstract attached thereto.

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the

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